ORIGINAL POETRY.

FOR THE ADAMS SENTINEL.

LAWRENCE.

HE seem'd like the sun in the orient sky,
Rejoicing to run his career;
His port and his mien, and the glance of his eye,
Spoke his bosom a stranger to fear.

Already had victory smil'd on his path,
And his prowess had humbled the foe:
But his country still bled, and to quell the proud wrath
Of the foeman, again will he go.

He goes, but no longer shall victory soar
O'er the bark of the young and the brave!
He goes—but alas! 'tis his life-blood to pour,
To die on the wild ocean-wave.

Yes, the battle is lost, and the foe has prevail'd,
Still his country regards him with pride:
Untarnish'd his fame, though his fate is bewail'd,
Though he won not, he fought till he died.

HIBERNICUS.

FOR THE ADAMS SENTINEL.

G———g, *April* 1, 1826.

TO MR. HARPER, EDITOR OF THE SENTINEL.

DEAR SIR,

It is only two days since I returned from ———, and am a good deal surprised to read in your paper of the 15th ult. a complimentary effusion addressed to me by your correspondent "Hibernicus." It were rudeness in me not to acknowledge myself grateful to the writer for his encomiums: but I am too well acquainted with the privileges of verse, not to make ample allowances—and must beg leave to consider what he thinks laudable in my composition, to be nothing more than a species of poetic license in his own. The warmth of feeling peculiar to his nation, has made him say things in poetry, which are too flattering to be expressed in prose. He seems to possess that refined sensibility to the wrongs of Erin, which characterises his countrymen, (if his signature means what it expresses) and in this attachment to his country, may be found the source of that merit, which he is pleased to ascribe to my verses.

The profession of a poet is amusing—but it is very unprofitable. One cannot read the lives of the English poets, without perceiving that many of those who aspired to reach the summit of Parnassus, never got higher than the garret of some obscure boarding-house—and one of the best poets our own country has produced, has been obliged to appeal to public charity, as I am informed, for the means of subsisting "his wife, his cat and him."

As to myself, my devotion to the muse is only by way of relaxation from professional duties, as you know, and when I do write I love to touch a chord which vibrates so feelingly as that on which the note of Erin's sorrow hangs. I need not mention to you that my personal connexion with Ireland is very remote;—and yet I feel perhaps as much interest in her struggles for freedom as if I had been born there.—It may not be improper to inform your readers, that Leander is not my *real* name; but it is the only one by which I wish to be known in the parterre of your paper. I would not have the street-runners point at me as I turn the corner, whilst I should have the mortification to hear them whisper to each other "there goes the crazy poet"—Such remarks from even the wisest heads in town could not make me proud: much less from the vulgar. I know that curiosity is on the wing—and I have good reason to know also, that you can stand a hard sifting, without letting the secret drop.

I cannot conclude without observing to you, that I am amused when certain persons of the community come up to me, and tell me to my face that I do not live in *this* place, and yet perceive with what blushing diffidence they remove the suspicion of authorship that attaches to themselves. For the information of those who think they know most about me, I must say that I do not change my residence as often as they would make out;—and at the same time, I must acknowledge my obligations to your correspondent Hibernicus for his kind address

LEANDER.

The following is the formula of the oath taken by the civil and military authorities of Russia:—

"I, the undersigned, promise and swear to Almighty God, upon this Holy Gospel, that I will be subject in all things, and will faithfully serve his Imperial Majesty, my true and natural Emperor, Nicholas Paulowitsch, Autocrat of all the Russias, and successor to the throne of his Majesty Alexander, without sparing my life to the last drop of my blood. I promise to preserve and defend, with all my powers, the rights and privileges which belong or may hereafter belong, to his Majesty's sovereignty and power, to come up on all occasions what may be useful to the faithful service of his Majesty and the Empire; not only to discover what may be prejudicial to him, as soon as I have knowledge of it, but also to hinder it, and avert it from his Majesty; to keep faithfully the secrets that may be confided to me; to fulfil properly and conscientiously the functions with which I may be invested, according to the instructions, regulations, and general or particular orders established, or which may hereafter be communicated to me by my superiors; to do nothing contrary to my oath and duty, through personal or any other interest, through friendship or hatred, but to conduct myself and act as it becomes a faithful subject of his Majesty, and so as to be able to answer at all times before God and his tribunal; so help me God: and to complete this oath, I kiss my Saviour's Word and Cross."

SMYRNA, Jan. 6.

The Grotto of Parnassus, of which mention is made in the letter from Athens, is situated a league from Castro, which is the ancient Delphos. The following accounts of this city was communicated to us by Mr. Fauvel who visited that city. It is extracted from one of his manuscripts.

"Delphos, which is situated three leagues to the east of Salona, is now called Castri. Sixty houses and three little churches, painted in fresco in the worst taste, have taken the place of Delphos, its riches, its temples, its pictures, and its statues. But the immense rocks which form the cave of Corycius, the Double Summit, the Castalian fountain, the Stadium covered with Pantelicua marble, and more than all, a religious feeling which we cannot resist in approaching this spot, would indicate plainly that here was the temple of Apollo, without the assistance of the inscriptions that are found on these ruins, and which cover the whole walls."

From the Constitutionel.

PARIS, Jan. 23.

It is only since the reign of the unfortunate Peter III. that the Russian nobility are enfranchised. They have been permitted to travel, but their excursions into Europe have made them more exacting, and have enlightened them as to the powerless state to which the forms of the Government condemn them. In possession of territorial influence, they have always excited the mistrust of the Government, which has kept them out of its Councils. The principal offices in the army, in the navy, in diplomacy, have been confided to foreigners, and the nobles perpetually travelling, have come among civilized men to enjoy the pleasures of society, the enjoyments of the arts, and the sweets of liberty. At London they have seen the Peerage in possession of great power; at Paris the Nobility receive all the honours of the State, and desiring to be free even when they murmur against liberty; in Prussia they have seen Provincial Assemblies; in other parts of Germany, Representative Assemblies; they have seen the Diet of Hungary, and the illusory liberty of Poland, and comparing these things with their own fate, their pride has been wounded, and their jealousy irritated.

CHEAP GOODS.

GEORGE ARNOLD,

Has just received from the City, a large Supply of

Spring Goods,

which will be sold cheap for CASH. The public are invited to call, examine and judge for themselves.

March 28. 4t

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the Estate of JOHN REYNOLDS late of Mountpleasant township Adams county, deceased, are desired to call and settle the same on or before the *15th of April next.* And those having claims against said Estate, are requested to present them, properly authenticated for settlement.

☞ Persons having in their possession Books of said deceased are desired to return them to the subscriber.

Joseph Coshun, Adm'r.

March 28. 3t

The Creditors of WILLIAM EYSTER.

AN Insolvent Debtor, will present their accounts to the subscriber before the *1st of June next*, for a dividend arising from the sale of the personal property yet remaining in possession of the said William Eyster.

C. F. Keener, Assignee.

Mt. Pleasant township, March 21. 4t

DAVID M'CANN,

FASHIONABLE

HAIR-DRESSER,

RETURNS his grateful acknowledgements to his customers, for the very liberal encouragement he has received, during his residence in this Borough, and respectfully informs the Public, that he continues to

SHAVE,

with ease and despatch; and to CUT HAIR, in the newest style, at the old stand, in West York street, next door to the Stage Office—where he has on hand a general assortment of fresh and genuine

PERFUMERY,

which he will dispose of at most reduced prices. He also continues to manufacture, out of the best French Hair, all kinds of Hair-work, such as

SCALPS, BRAIDS & CURLS

in the neatest manner, and will dispose of them on the most moderate terms. He also has made an addition to his Shop, where he intends to polish Boots & Shoes, in the neatest manner.

☞ Razors will also be set in the keenest order, or no charge made.

Gettysburg, March 28. tf

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March 21. 3t

Proclamation.

WHEREAS the Hon. *John Reed*, Esq President of the several Courts of Common Pleas in the counties composing the Ninth District, and Justice of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the said district—and *Daniel Sheffer*, and *Wm. M'Clean*, Esquires, Judges of the Courts of Common Pleas, and Justices of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and General Jail Delivery, for the trial of all capital and other offenders in the county of Adams—having issued their precept, bearing date the 26th day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six, and to me directed, for holding a Court of Common Pleas, and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, and General Jail Delivery, and Court of Oyer and Terminer, at Gettysburg, on *Monday the 24th day of April next*—

Notice is hereby Given,

to all the Justices of the Peace, the Coroner and Constables, within the said County of Adams, that they be then and there in their proper persons with their Rolls, Records, Inquisitions, Examinations, and other Remembrances, to do those things which to their offices, and in that behalf, appertain to be done—and also they who will prosecute against the prisoners that are, or then shall be, in the Jail of the said County of Adams, are to be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Dated at Gettysburg, the 21st day of March, A. D. 1826.

T. C. Miller, Sheriff.

[March 21] tc

ISAAC JORDAN,

WAITER,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Public in general, in the vicinity and borough of Gettysburg, that he has removed from Philadelphia and Carlisle to this borough, and will wait on any application that may be made to him in the capacity of WAITER.—He will wait on Assemblies, Balls, Dinner Parties, or any other Private Assemblage. He will be punctual in attendance—and ever grateful for the favor. Satisfactory recommendations will be furnished. He can be found at the Perfumery Shop of *David M'Cann.*

Gettysburg, March 21. 3t

Thomas J. Cooper,

RESPECTFULLY informs his Friends and the Public generally, that he has just received a General Assortment of

SEASONABLE GOODS,

CONSISTING, IN PART, OF

Dry Goods, Groceries, Hard-ware, Queens-ware, & LIQUORS,

which he is determined to sell low for CASH or COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Persons having accounts standing for a longer period than six months, are requested to discharge the same, without delay, as no longer indulgence can be given.

March 21. 5t

Notice is hereby Given,

TO ALL THE HEIRS AND LEGAL REPRESENTATIVES OF

ANDREW POLLY, Sen.

LATE of the borough of Gettysburg, deceased, viz: Sarah, intermarried with John Risinger, Samuel Polly, Esther, intermarried with Anthony Riechart, Elizabeth, intermarried with John Trostle, Barbara, intermarried with John Werner, Catharine, intermarried with Leonard Bricker, Polly, intermarried with William Bell, Andrew Polly, Daniel Polly, Jonas Polly; the son of John Polly, deceased, to wit, John Polly; and the children of Margaret, who was intermarried with John Cooghenour, to wit: Catharine Cooghenour, Mary Cooghenour, Elizabeth, intermarried with Jacob Spotswood, Eliza, intermarried with Joseph Cogley; and Ephraim; or the guardians of such of them as are minors, that an Inquest will be held at the dwelling house of said deceased, in said borough, on *Monday the 17th day of April next*, to make partition of a certain Messuage and Lot of Ground, in said borough, the property of said deceased, among the said heirs, or as many of them as the same will accommodate, if the same will admit of such partition, without prejudice to, or spoiling the whole; otherwise to value and appraise the whole, undivided, according to the form of the Act of Assembly in such cases made and provided.

T. C. Miller, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg, March 21. 4t

Sheriff's Sales.

IN pursuance of sundry Writs of Venditioni Exponas and Alias Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams county, and to me directed, Will be Exposed to Public Sale, on *Saturday the 15th of April next*, at 1 o'clock, P. M. at the Court-house in the borough of Gettysburg, the following

REAL ESTATE

TO WIT:

The one-tenth part of

A Tract of Land,

situate in Franklin township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Dennis M'Guire, John Robison and others, containing 90 acres, more or less—seized and taken in execution as the estate of *George Hamilton*—ALSO,

A certain Tract of Land,

situate in Cumberland township Adams county, adjoining lands of Samuel Showers, John Ritter and others, containing 286 acres, more or less on which are erected two log dwelling houses and log barn, with an orchard—seized and taken in execution as the estate of *James Hall*—ALSO,

A certain Tract of Land,

situate in Straban township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Philip Graft, John N. Graft, William Cashman and others, containing 172 acres, more or less on which are erected a frame weatherboarded dwelling house, with a frame back building, large brick double bank barn, with brick sheds, brick smoke house, log smith-shop, with an orchard, &c—seized and taken in execution as the estate of *Abraham Eicher*—ALSO,

A certain Tract of Land,

situate in Germany township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Joseph Warner, Philip Bishop, and others, containing 70 acres, more or less, on which are erected a one-story log dwelling house, double log barn, log spring house, with an orchard—seized and taken in execution as the estate of *Abraham Johns*.—ALSO,

A certain Tract of Land,

situate in Franklin township, Adams county, adjoining lands of John Sweney, the heirs of Moses Jenkins and others, containing 214 acres, more or less, on which are erected a two story dwelling house, part stone and part log, and brick bank barn, with an orchard—seized and taken in execution as the estate of *William & Robert Sheakly*.—ALSO,

A certain Tract of Land,

situate in Menallen township, Adams county, adjoining lands of William Slaybaugh, John Bender, Henry Peters, and others, containing 160 acres, more or less, on which are erected a large two story brick dwelling house, brick back building and smoke-house, log barn, stable and waggon-shed, with an orchard.—ALSO,

A Tract of Land,

situate in Tyrone township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Henry Brame, Henry Spangler and others, containing 146 acres, more or less, on which are erected a log dwelling-house, log barn and log still-house.—ALSO,

A Lot of Ground,

situate in Tyrone township, adjoining said other lands of Henry Hartzell and —— Forney, on which are erected a log house and log stable—seized and taken in execution as the estate of *Henry Hartzell*—ALSO,

A certain Tract of Land,

situate in Reading township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Christian Wirt, Job Dix, and others, containing 300 acres, more or less, on which are erected two log dwelling houses, with kitchens, both weatherboarded and painted, two bank barns, one brick, the other log, spring house, waggon shed, and corn crib, with an orchard—seized and taken in execution as the estate of *John B. Arnold*, deceased.

ALSO,

In pursuance of a Writ of Alias Levari Facias,

A Tract of Land,

situate in Menallen township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Jacob Pencel, Charles F. Keener, and Henry Slaybaugh, containing 118 acres, more or less, on which are erected a two-story log dwelling-house and kitchen, large brick barn, waggon shed, spring house, log tenant house, log stable.—ALSO,

A Tract of Land,

situate in Menallen township, Adams county, adjoining lands of Henry Slaybaugh and others, containing 46 acres more or less—ALSO,

A Tract of Land,

situate in Menallen township, Adams county, adjoining lands of George Hartzell, Henry Slaybaugh, and others, containing 23 acres, more or less—seized and taken in execution as the estate of *George Weaver*.

☞ The above property will be sold separately or together, to suit the purchaser, and as it will sell best.

And to be sold by me,

T. C. Miller, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg, March 28. 1s

FOR RENT,

THE

STORE ROOM,

on the corner of Baltimore-street and Centre Square, now occupied by Mr D. ORRICK. Possession given on the 1st of April.

David Horner.

Feb. 21. tf

To my Creditors.

TAKE NOTICE, that I have applied to the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams county, for the benefit of the Insolvent Laws of this Commonwealth, and they have appointed *Monday the 24th day of April next*, for the hearing of me and my Creditors, at the Court House in the borough of Gettysburg.

John Hamilton.

March 21 3t

Mt. Pleasant Volunteers!

YOU will parade at the Two Taverns in Mount Pleasant township on *Saturday the 8th of April next*, at one o'clock P. M. precisely in complete uniform. By order,

Albert Vandike, O. S.

March 28 1t

BLANKS, of all kinds,

For Sale at this Office